GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Mines and Minerals - Granting of mining leases to various Mineral blocks through e-auction - Constitution of High Power Committee for finalization of auction process – Orders - Issued.

INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE (MINES-II) DEPARTMENT

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Order:

In the circumstances reported by the Director of Mines & Geology, Government of Andhra Pradesh, Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada in the reference read above, after careful examination of the proposal of the Director of Mines & Geology, GoAP, the Government hereby constitutes a High Power Committee to deal with the financial and other related matters involved in the e-Auction of the 6 Limestone Blocks (one cement Grade Limestone in Machavaram Mandal of Guntur District, one cement Grade Limestone in Kolimigundla Mandal of Kurnool District and 4 Lime Stone Blocks at Mittagudipadu Block-I,II,III&IV) and 1 Gold & Silver Block in Gudipalli Mandal of Chittoor District for finalizing the value of the blocks, fixation of reserve price, eligibility criteria, end-use requirement etc, with the following members:-

1.	Principal Secretary / Secretary, Finance Department.	Member
2.	Secretary to Government & CIP, Industries & Commerce Department.	Member
3.	Secretary to Government, Industries & Commerce (Mines & Geology) Department	Member
4.	Regional Controller of Mines, Indian Bureau of Mines, Hyderabad, Government of India	Member
5.	Director (AP State – division), Geological Survey of India, Southern region, Hyderabad.	Member
6.	The Second senior most official in the Mines & Geology Department, representing the Director of Mines and Geology, Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada	Member - Convener

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2. The tenure of the above mentioned High Power Committee will be till 31st March, 2020. The Senior most Secretary to Government present in the meetings may chair the meetings and approve the minutes.

3. The terms of reference of the committee for the decisions are as follows:-

(a) Who will be responsible for carrying out the entire auction process
(b) Constitution of Technical Evaluation committee for evaluation of bids.
(c) Price of tender document
(d) Bid security amount
(e) Reservation of mineral block for particular end use and specifying permissible end uses for auction
(f) Eligibility criteria
(g) Fixation of Reserve Price
(h) Parameters for Mine Development and Production Agreement (MDPA) like minimum production requirement
(i) Performance security appropriation events
(j) Timeline for submission of application for reassessment of performance Security amount before expiry of the performance security validity period
(k) Timeframe for automatic extension of bids - for example 10 minutes
(l) Minimum increment of percentage of Price Offer to be submitted by Qualified Bidder – for example 0.05%.

4. The Director of Mines & Geology, Andhra Pradesh shall take necessary further action accordingly.

[BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH]

B. SREEDHAR
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (MINES)

To
The Director of Mines & Geology, Government of Andhra Pradesh,
Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada.
All the Members of the High Power Committee.

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The P.S to Prl. Secretary, Finance Department.
The P.S to Secretary & CIP, Ind. & Com. Department.
The P.S to Secretary, Ind. & Com (Mines & Geology) Department.
The Regional Controller of Mines, Indian Bureau of Mines, Govt. of India, Hyderabad,
The Director (AP State – division), Geological Survey of India, Southern region, Hyderabad.
The P.S. to M(M&G).
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